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Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.322 and/or 1.323.

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See Manual of Patent Examining Procedure, Section 1481.01 (Rev. 3) (Oct. 2005).

Applicant has not included items A and or C above, accordingly, the request for Certificate of Correction to add or change the assignee data is dismissed.

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Regarding the requested corrections to column 7 and 9; inspection of the application reveal these changes unwarranted. There being no fault on the part of the Patent and Trademark Office, it has no authority to issue a certificate of correction under the provisions of 35 USC 254, CFR 1.322 of the Rules of Practice for Patent Cases.

In view of the foregoing, applicants request in these matters are hereby denied. Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Ms. A. Green at (703) 308-9380 ext. 123.


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